

THE COCONINO SUN

J. J. Donahue is in Los Angeles this week.

Mrs. John Pullar is recovering from her recent illness.

H. E. Campbell returned Thursday from a trip to California.

M. J. Kennedy, the contractor, was up from Winslow Tuesday.

Deputy Sheriff Bush returned this morning from an official trip to Gallup, N. M.

B. F. Crabb of Pomona, Cal., arrived in town to-day. He will probably locate permanently here.

S. J. Lewis of Ash Fork spent yesterday here. Mr. Lewis is building three business houses in Ash Fork.

Adjutant General R. Allyn Lewis arrived this morning for a visit of recreation in Flagstaff's unexcelled summer climate.

J. C. Brown, the head of the Saginaw Lumber Company enterprise at Williams, arrived in town on this morning's No. 2.

J. H. Bowman, formerly of Holbrook but now register of the land office at Tucson is recovering from an attack of typhoid fever.

G. M. Little of Phoenix arrived Wednesday. Mr. Little is an expert typewriter and stenographer, and is in the office of E. E. Ellinwood.

Mrs. S. E. Ashurst was called to Williams by telegram received late last night stating that her daughter, Mrs. James A. Pitts, was seriously ill.

T. J. Ross is now financier of Court Coconino No. 896, Independent Order of Forresters, and members of that order should pay their dues to him.

Deputy Sheriff M. T. Black and M. M. Fisher returned yesterday from a trip to Lee's Ferry after a man named Seddal, who was wanted on charge of

stealing a lot of provisions from N. A. Cameron. They brought their man back with them and report the trip a hard, hot one.

Prosperous Navajo.

We are under obligations to our thoughtful and clever County Recorder, Joseph H. Frisby, for the following abstract of the assessable property in Navajo county for 1898:

Land—acres, 1,036,4....	\$9260,800.50
Improvements on land.....	35,216.00
Town and city lots, 1252.....	73,037.83
Improvements thereon.....	140,940.00
Horses, 2413	46,529.00
Cattle, 8,022	99,583.55
Swine 276	1,297.35
Goats, 517	4,452.00
Jacks, 73	452.00
Mules, 39	1,009.00
Railroad, miles 59.208.....	2,864.00
All other property.....	119,346.85
Total	\$1,193,98

This shows a gain over last year's assessment of \$16,266.01. From present indications the increase next year bids fair to be even greater. Should the water storage enterprises now under construction and in completion be completed and prove a success, the taxable property of Navajo county will more than double within the next four years. And as to the success of these enterprises, if there is anything that is reliable to be gained from experience and observation in similar undertakings, where natural advantages were not so good, then there can be no failure. We confidently look forward to the time, and that time not far distant, when Navajo will take her place well up toward the front rank of counties in point of population and wealth.—Winslow Mail.

E. F. Greenlaw was in town from the lumber camp yesterday.